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POLICE INVESTIGATE FATAL SHOOTING IN LINCOLN PARK

San Diego Police Department Homicide Unit detectives are investigating a shooting that left one man dead and one man injured, in the Lincoln Park area of the City of San Diego.

At 4:36 p.m., officers were dispatched to a report of a shooting at an apartment complex in the 4800 block of Solola Avenue. Officers arrived to find two males lying in the parking lot, suffering from gunshot wounds. Both men were transported to local hospitals by paramedics. One man was pronounced deceased at 5:27 p.m. and the other man is currently being treated for his injuries.

The preliminary investigation has revealed the two victims were standing in the parking lot of the apartment complex talking, when two men walked up to them and began to argue. One of the suspects shot both of the victims. Both suspects fled on foot to a waiting car, described as a white four door sedan. The two suspects are described as young black males in their late teens or early twenties. One was wearing a white hooded sweatshirt and jeans. He is described as having acne. The second suspect was wearing a black hooded sweatshirt and dark pants.

The victims have been identified, but their names will be withheld until their families can be notified. It has not yet been determined what precipitated the shooting. Detectives and forensic specialists are currently processing the scene for evidence and trying to locate witnesses. Anyone with information related to this incident is encouraged to call the Homicide Unit at 619 531-2293 or Crime Stoppers at 888 580-8477.

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